

## CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

1. <sup>sub A27</sup> A method comprising:
  - receiving a dedication from a first user via a network; and
  - applying the dedication to a play list of a second user.
2. The method of claim 1 further comprising:
  - receiving a message and at least one insertion points from the first user;
  - and
  - applying the dedication and the message to the play list according to the at least one insertion points.
3. The method of claim 1 wherein the dedication identifies audio and/or video content.
4. The method of claim 1 wherein the dedication comprises audio and/or video content.
5. The method of claim 2 wherein the message comprises text.
6. The method of claim 5 further comprising:
  - converting the text to audio before rendering the message.
7. The method of claim 1 wherein the first user and the second user are online.
8. A method comprising:
  - receiving from a network a first user's play list; and

3 transmitting to the network a dedication from a second user to apply to the  
4 play list.

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1 9. The method of claim 8 further comprising:  
2 transmitting to the network a message and at least one insertion points to  
3 apply to the play list.

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1 10. The method of claim 8 wherein the dedication identifies audio and/or  
2 video content.

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1 11. The method of claim 8 wherein the dedication comprises audio and/or  
2 video content.

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1 12. The method of claim 9 wherein the message comprises text.

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1 13. The method of claim 8 further comprising:  
2 receiving an indication of whether the first user is online; and  
3 causing the dedication to be applied to the play list which the first user is  
4 currently experiencing by transmitting the dedication to the network.

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1 14. The method of 12 further comprising:  
2 specifying that the message should be applied to the play list as a voice  
3 over.

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1 15. An article comprising:  
2 a machine-readable media comprising instructions which, when executed  
3 by a processor, result in:  
4 receiving a dedication from a first user via a network; and  
5 applying the dedication to a play list of a second user.  
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1 16. The article of claim 15 further comprising instructions, which, when  
2 executed by the processor, result in:  
3 receiving a message and at least one insertion points from the first user;  
4 and  
5 applying the dedication and the message to the play list according to the  
6 at least one insertion points.

1 17. The article of claim 15 wherein the instructions, when executed by the  
2 processor, result in receiving and applying a dedication which identifies  
3 audio and/or video content.

1 18. The article of claim 15 wherein the instructions, when executed by the  
2 processor, result in receiving and applying a dedication comprising  
3 audio and/or video content.

1 19. The article of claim 16 wherein the instructions, when executed by the  
2 processor, result in receiving and applying a message comprising text.

1 20. The article of claim 19 further comprising instructions which, when  
2 executed by the processor, result in:  
3 converting the text to audio before rendering the message.

1 21. A system comprising:  
2 a processor; and  
3 a machine-readable media coupled to the processor and comprising  
4 instructions which, when executed by a processor, result in:  
5 receiving a dedication from a first user via a network; and  
6 applying the dedication to a play list of a second user.

1 22. The system of claim 21 further comprising instructions, which, when  
2 executed by the processor, result in:  
3 receiving a message and at least one insertion points from the first user;  
4 and  
5 applying the dedication and the message to the play list according to the  
6 at least one insertion points.

1 23. The system of claim 21 wherein the instructions, when executed by  
2 the processor, result in receiving and applying a dedication which  
3 identifies audio and/or video content.

1 24. The system of claim 21 wherein the instructions, when executed by the  
2 processor, result in receiving and applying a dedication comprising  
3 audio and/or video content.

1 25. The system of claim 22 wherein the instructions, when executed by the  
2 processor, result in receiving and applying a message comprising text.

1 26. The system of claim 25 further comprising instructions which, when  
2 executed by the processor, result in:  
3 converting the text to audio before rendering the message.  
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